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For: BLOW MODE SHELL WITH VOLUME )  
INSERT SYSTEM FOR A BLOWING )  
MACHINE )

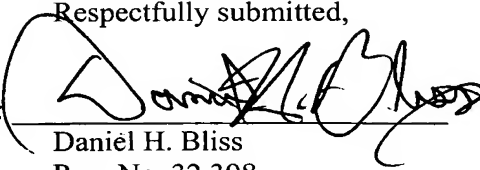
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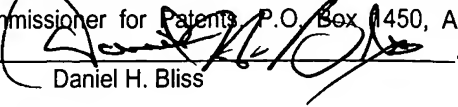
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